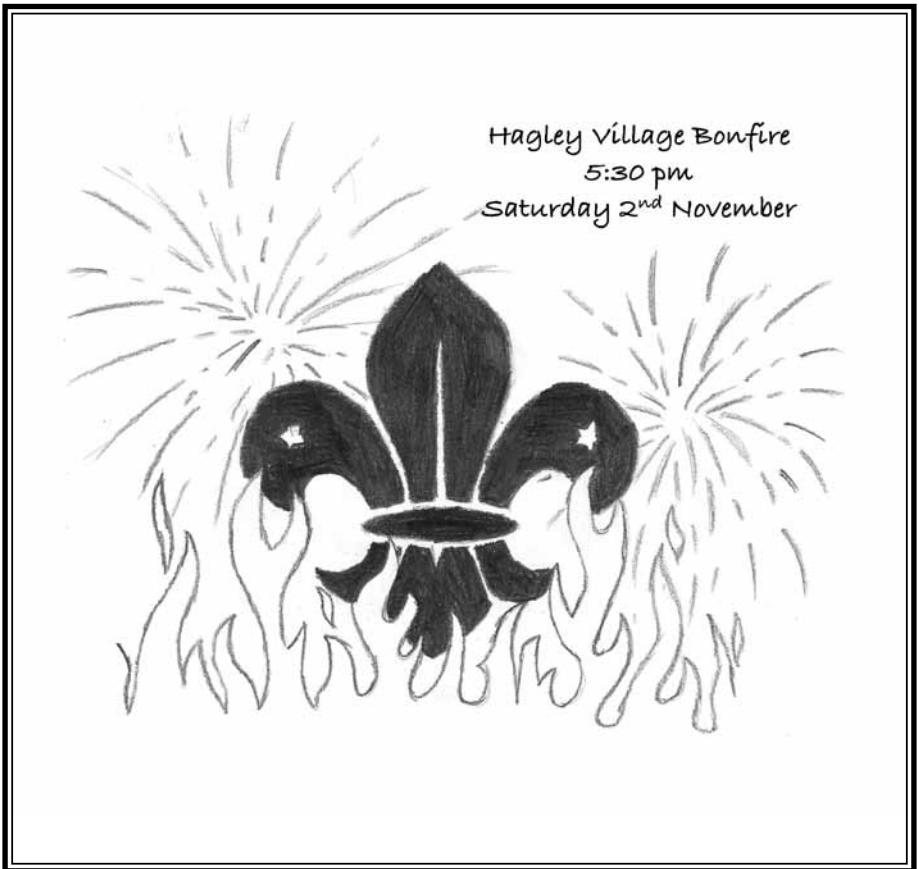




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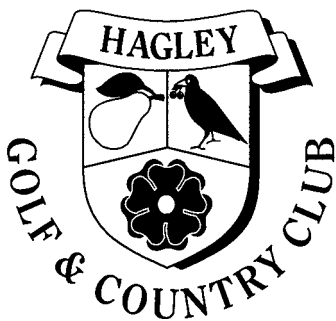
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## EDITORIAL

*There are many thank you letters in the VN this month, a testament to the kindness and support of our neighbours and friends in adversity; Hagley is still a great place to live.*

*We are all back at work and school now and all the clubs and societies are back to full programmes as well. There have been some fantastic results from our schools and many local students are off to university; we wish them well.*

*A report on our Emergency General Meeting will follow, many thanks to those who attended for their support.*

*Anna Morley, Editor*

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## **ROBERT WIGLEY**

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Margaret, Jane and family would like to thank all neighbours and friends who attended Bob's funeral on 26th June. It was comforting to us to see how so many people came to say goodbye to Bob.

Thank you also for the flowers, cards and letters we received.

A total of £550 was donated to Kemp Hospice and MacMillan Nurses and was gratefully received by them.

## **DORA PURVES**

Following the sad loss of Dora, I would like to thank everyone who attended the funeral service and for all the generous donations received, in excess of £436.00.

I would also like to thank Rev. David Tennant for the lovely service he conducted and my family and friends for their help and support.

Celia Marsh

Dear Editor

I would like to thank the kind gentleman and two ladies who came to my aid when I fell off my scooter on 18th August in Chapel Street. I don't know what I would have done without them.

Mrs E Foulds

Dear Editor

My family and I would like to thank the residents of Hagley for their kind wishes regarding Mary who is now making a good recovery after her recent accident.

Leonard Parkes

### **Editor's Note:**

*I have received a couple more letters, one thanking the Residents' Action Group and Parish Council for their efforts during the recent Cala Homes development application and one making suggestions for the new traffic arrangements. I have passed these to the relevant parties.*

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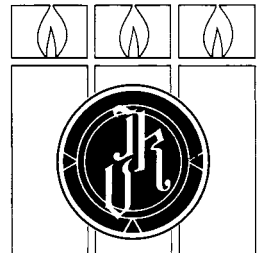


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The Parish Council also regrets the recent death of Geoff Gough who was an asset to the village, and a Parish Councillor until his illness prevented it. We were very proud to celebrate the MBE with this very humble gentleman.

The members of the Parish Council regularly receive complaints about the difficulty in parking in the village centre at certain times of the day and certain days of the week. One of reasons is that the shopper's car park is regularly occupied by long stay parking. The car park has limited space and is at its most effective if it used for short term shopping, business or social visits. A Parish Council working party has been established in conjunction with the Hagley Business Association and Hagley Community Association to look at ways in which village parking can be improved. The findings and recommendations from this working group will be communicated as soon as complete.

Work to replace the damaged bus shelter is on-going. We have also had to replace two litter bins around the playing fields. Dropped litter and left dog dirt has an adverse effect on the image of the village and we encourage everyone to be mindful of their actions when enjoying the playing fields and surrounding roads.

We have now joined the 21st century by having a twitter account! As well as the village notice boards, website, Village News and Hagley Matters newsletters this is another way of making sure we engage with all areas of the community.

Steve Colella  
Chairman Hagley Parish Council

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As in previous years, various organisations catering for older people will attend to raise awareness of the valuable services available to that age group. We hope to have representatives from Age Concern, Arthritis Care, the Macular Disease Society, the Pensions Service, the Osteoporosis Society, Worcestershire Association of Carers, Alzheimer's Society, Parkinson's Disease Society, The Royal British Legion, your local chemist, and many other bodies.

The event is all about supporting older people to enable them to lead healthy, active and independent lives in the Community. The invitation is open to any elderly patient and their relative/carer.

### **Policing In Hagley**

Hagley saw a reduction in crime in August compared to previous months, for example, burglary dwelling house crime is down 7.7% on this time last year. Hagley is a safe place to live and work, and a low crime area however, we should not be complacent. I would urge anyone to contact the police if they see anything suspicious using the 101 number or 999 in an emergency.

Late July to early August saw a number of Bogus Caller incidents in Hagley. A man knocked on doors and conned residents out of money. A suspect has been arrested and enquiries are ongoing. Please be aware of Bogus Callers or Rogue Traders, they often target the elderly or vulnerable.

Friends, neighbours and people who have regular contact with older and vulnerable people can help them to make their lives more secure. Research shows that fewer distraction burglaries are committed in areas where there is a supportive community. You can help by:

- Keeping an eye on people calling in the area or acting suspiciously
- Noting the registration numbers of vehicles parked in your area for a period of time
- Calling 101 to provide information to the police about suspicious people, activity or vehicles, however insignificant it may seem
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If you or your daughters have been involved with 2nd Hagley Rainbows since we started in 1992, then please do come along and have a look at what we have been doing. There will be numerous displays, talks by Leaders/District Commissioner and a little show from our current Rainbows.

Teas/Coffees/cakes will be on sale together with a raffle to raise money for the unit.

We look forward to seeing you.

Maxine Wyeth, SUN Leader 2nd Hagley Rainbows



## HAGLEY ROTARY CLUB



It has been a busy summer for the Rotary Club of Hagley whose members as usual engaged in several charitable, fundraising and social events.

For several years, our club has sponsored a Belarusian child affected by the Chernobyl nuclear accident to come to the UK for a recuperative break, taking them away from their radio-active environment and helping to extend their life expectancy. The club, together with Hagley opticians Robinson & Sproson, hosted a barbecue for the visiting children and their charity workers.

Ann Beck from the Charity Chernobyl Children Life Line visited our club along with two of the children and a translator. We heard from another speaker, Trevor Lee, a retired judge who told us about his experience of the judiciary.

We also hosted students from the Rotary youth exchange programme, a scheme that has been running for over 60 years, providing incredible opportunities for young people to see the world, experience a different way of life, maybe learn another language, make international friends and discover a lot about themselves whilst acting as an ambassador for their own country.

We joined forces with the Rotary Club of Kinver to organise our first charity concert at Kidderminster Town Hall.

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Hassan Paraiso



# CLUB REPORTS

## AFTERNOON W.I.

What a difference! After some years of having 'Indoor' Garden Parties due to inclement weather the 17th August was warm and dry so members were able to enjoy the garden. Parking cars was quite hilarious to the onlookers but backing them out of the parking areas proved slightly difficult!!

Sadly this lovely summer has moved to its end but, on the positive side, members have an autumn of interesting speakers, social occasions and hosting a Group Meeting for nine W.I.s to enjoy.

One event which is open to everyone is a Fashion Show by DEBUT of Hagley to be held on 13th November 2.15 p.m. at the Community Centre. The cost is £4.50 to include tea and homemade cakes. Tickets are available or you may pay at the door.

We meet on the 2nd Monday in each month, 2.00 p.m. at Hagley Community Centre and are always pleased to welcome visitors and prospective new members. A new face is always greeted with pleasure so why not join us?

Megan Bury

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## CLUB REPORTS



HAGLEY ART CLUB

### ART CLUB

At our meeting on Friday 11th October, our visiting artist is Paul Hipkiss, who will be giving an appraisal of members' pictures. This is always an interesting evening, not just being able to see the work members have produced during the year, but to learn from the comments being made. Our appraisal evening always takes place in October prior to our Annual Exhibition in November (see advance notice).

Looking ahead to our meeting on 8th November, our visiting artist is Michael Warr who will be demonstrating a 'Winter Landscape with Snow'.

Visitors are always welcome to our meetings which start at 7.30pm and take place in St. Saviour's Church Hall.

Anne Garth

#### Advance Notice

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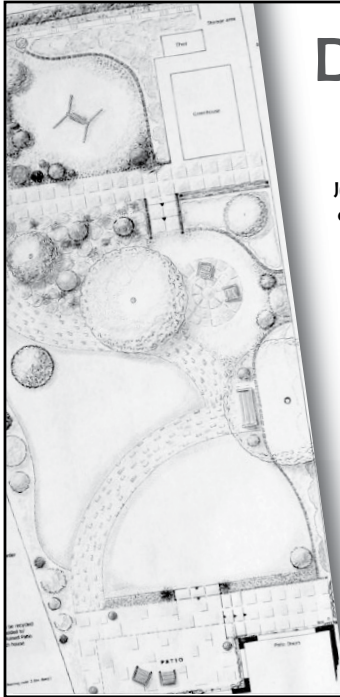
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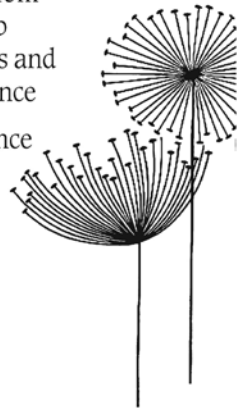
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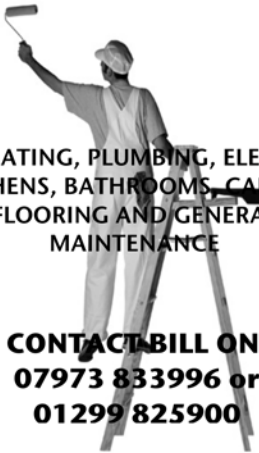


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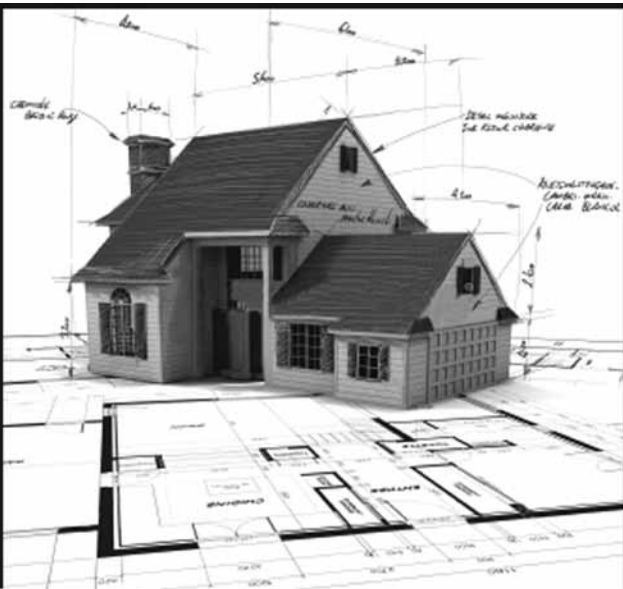
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**Sunday 6th October 2013 - Trinity 19**

9am - Holy Eucharist - Broome

4pm - Parents and Children Together -

Blakedown

**Sunday 13th October 2013 - Trinity 20**

10am - Benefice (combined churches)

Eucharist - Churchill

**Sunday 20th October 2013 - Trinity 21**

9am - Holy Eucharist - Broome

10am - Informal Service celebrating

Creation - Blakedown

**Sunday 27th October 2013-**

**10am - Benefice Eucharist for HARVEST**

*To arrange Baptisms and Weddings in the Parish please contact Fr Paul.*

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*Holy Eucharist – 10am every Wednesday in Broome church.*

*Prayer Time – 8.45am-9.15am every Wednesday in Blakedown church.*

*Coffee & Bible Reflection – 11.15am – 2nd and 4th Wednesdays in Blakedown church.*



## Hagley Village Bonfire

Come and join Hagley Scout Group for the spectacular annual family village bonfire and firework display on Saturday 2nd November 2013. As usual it will be in the field on the A456 opposite Webb's Garden Centre. Family tickets can be purchased during October from the Spar, Robinson & Sproson (opticians) or the Hagley GP surgery. Refreshments include a BBQ, cake stall and hot and cold drinks.

Gates open at 5:30 pm. Please note there is strictly no alcohol and no sparklers allowed on site. Anyone who wishes to donate firewood please contact Suren in advance on 07876561692 or [hagleybonfire@gmail.com](mailto:hagleybonfire@gmail.com).

Claire Crowley



### THEATRE GROUP

If you haven't already bought your tickets for our Youth Section's production of the ever popular musical 'Grease' then please hurry as the curtain will be up in the next few days. The show will run from Wednesday 9 to Saturday 12 October at the Community Centre with performances commencing at 7.30pm. All the hard work that our talented youngsters have been putting in over the past few months promises to provide a wonderful evening's entertainment. The show includes many of the songs from the stage and film versions such as 'Hopelessly Devoted to You', 'Summer Nights' and 'Greased Lightnin'. These songs helped to make this musical such a huge success with numerous and on-going revivals across the world.

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Tony Forrest

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As the club heads into its 50th year why not come along and see what we do and how we do it you can pick up some great hints and tips that could make your dreaded fears of speaking drive off into the sunset?

Rob Waldron

### Hagley Playgroup

We are now into a new term and our new little ones have settled in well, enjoying lots of exciting activities. If you have a child who is 2 years or older, who you feel is ready for Playgroup, please do not hesitate to ring for a chat. You can contact me on 01562882433 or 07899846669. Alternatively email on [hagleyplaygroup@live.co.uk](mailto:hagleyplaygroup@live.co.uk) Take a look at our website [www.hagleyplaygroup.co.uk](http://www.hagleyplaygroup.co.uk)





# Girlguiding Walton District

As the autumn term gets well under way and with all our units full, Girlguiding in Walton District is very much active. A few changes have taken place, 3rd Hagley Brownies said good bye to their Brown Owl of 27 years.

Gill Quinlivan who has run the unit for 25 of those years has offered so much time and commitment; she leaves the unit in good hands with her assistant Fiona and will be sadly missed. Leaving a unit after such a long time is not easy but Gill will still be Assistant District Commissioner and putting her invaluable skills to use within the District. We say a very big thank you to Gill.

2nd Hagley Guides said goodbye to their leader Janet Richards; Janet, who has lead the unit for 5 years, has in this short time gained her camp licence, taking the Guides on numerous camps and many more outdoor activities trips. We say thank you to her and are looking to fill Janet's position. If anyone feels they would like to join this worthwhile movement giving girls the opportunity to develop and grow in a fun filled environment then please come and join the team, we are a friendly and fun bunch.

Finally I would like to say a big thank you to all our leaders without whom we would be unable to offer these opportunities to the girls.

Sue Hemmings (District Commissioner)

*To join please visit [www.girlguiding.org.uk](http://www.girlguiding.org.uk)*



## TREFOIL GUILD

Thanks to Barbara's excellent directions we all found the garden we were to visit for our August meeting. There is a theory however; that should you mention to two or three friends, any plans for a journey, each and every one of them would have their own preferred route. The person making the trip can make the tea or go and plant a rose and on their return be no wiser. It was ever thus and so it proved, as we all sat eating cake at the end of our tour. That we all did find our way home was miraculous.

On the last day of August we were saddened by the news of Ruby's death. A founder member of our guild, she was always keenly interested in our activities and remained a member even when she became incapacitated. Always with a smile, quick to appreciate the absurd and having a great sense of humour, she was a great friend to us all. We shall miss her.

In October we visit our Community Centre to see 'Grease', on 10th. We will need to book the tickets so please let me know if you're coming. We've always found an evening with Hagley Theatre Group very worthwhile.

E.O.Gingell

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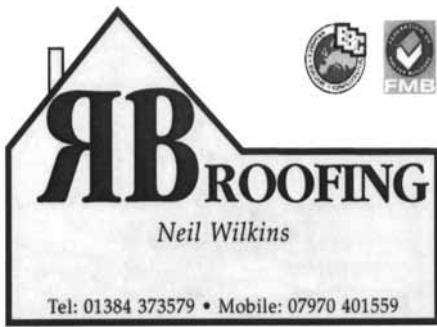
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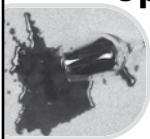
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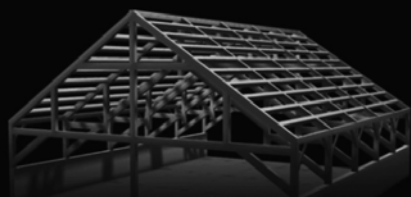
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## OCTOBER 2013

### The Wychbury Room

The new facilities for St John's Church and Hagley Cricket Club, which some of you kindly helped us to raise money for, were opened on 23 June. Some of you may have seen the report and picture in the Stourbridge News. We now have three new toilets (including a disabled access toilet) and a small multi-purpose room. We have called this new facility "The Wychbury Room", as the view out of the window across the cricket ground looks over to Wychbury Hill.

Both the church and the cricket club have already been making good use of this fabulous new building – at weddings and baptisms, during cricket matches, and for a variety of small meetings. Potentially this could be a real asset for all sorts of people and groups in the local area. If you'd like more information about The Wychbury Room, or think you might like to make a booking for a small group to meet there, please contact Kate Aldridge (882739).

### All Souls Service – Sunday 3 November, 6.30pm St Saviour's

Our annual All Souls Service, when we remember those people who have died in the past year, and invite people who have lost loved ones to come and to light a special candle, falls at the beginning of next month. If you wish to come and remember a loved one you'll be very welcome.

## OCTOBER SERVICES

Date	8.00 am	9.30 am	10.30 am	6.30 pm
6 October Trinity 19		Morning Praise and Parade <b>St Saviour's</b>	Holy Communion <b>St John's</b>	Compline <b>St Saviour's</b>
13 October Trinity 20	Holy Communion <b>St John's</b>		Morning Prayer <b>St John's</b> Holy Communion <b>St Saviour's</b>	
20 October Trinity 21			Parish Family Communion <b>St John's</b>	Service of Lament <b>St Saviour's</b>
27 October Last after Trinity	Holy Communion <b>St John's</b>		Parish Communion <b>St Saviour's</b>	HADAC One World Week Service – <b>Blakedown</b>

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Therefore, we would like to invite singers to join us in rehearsing Messiah this Autumn Term – no auditions! Rehearsals are held every Thursday at 7:30 pm in Hagley Free Church, (non-members: £2 per session, to cover costs).

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Our Sixth Form community similarly achieved great things; 92.3% of our students secured 3+ passes at A level, enabling them to move confidently forward to the next stages of their lives. Our students have secured places at a number of higher education institutions all over the country, including Oxford University, covering a wide range of academic and vocational fields. We wish them the very best in their futures.

Looking forward to the new term, we have several new members of staff joining our team and we look forward to working with them to offer the best possible education to the young people in our care. We also welcome families from the local and surrounding areas who are new to the school.

Throughout September we have a number of induction activities running, including a Duke of Edinburgh expedition and, later in the month, a Macmillan Coffee Morning, to raise funds for the cancer charity.

B. McArdle



## Haybridge High School and Sixth Form

As we begin the new academic year we send our good wishes to students preparing to take up places at universities across the country this month, including Peter Keighley, who with an impressive 3 A\* and one A grade has achieved a place at Birmingham to study Medicine. Also gaining places at Birmingham are Emily Talbot (AAAA) to study English Literature, Charlotte Taylor (AAA) and Liam Bastable (2 A\* and an A) to study Mathematics. Heading to London are Bradley Smith, whose A\* and three A grades have earned him a place at Imperial College to study computing, and Aiveta Aksentyte (A\* AA) who will study European Politics at King's College. Ben Maybee's three A\* grades take him to Leeds to study Physics, whilst Ellie Raphael (2A\* A) and Becky Swaffield (A\*AA) are also off to Yorkshire, to Sheffield, to study Chemistry and Microbiology respectively. Helen Bates, with three A grades has a place at Warwick to read Law, Mark Pell (A\* AA) takes up a place at Nottingham to study Maths and Economics, whilst Katharine Hill, also with A\*AA grades goes to study Psychology in Cardiff. Kathryn Lewis, with a stunning three A\* grades and one A grade is off to Lancaster to study Maths. Also gaining a place at Lancaster, to study Physics, is Sam Jenkins who achieved a remarkable five A grades. Jamie Senior, with two A\* and two A grades will read Economics at Bath. Congratulations to these and all students celebrating their successes.

Lynne Byford

# HISTORICAL & FIELD SOCIETY

There was no meeting in August but, early in the month, we had a most enjoyable visit to Harvington Hall. One of our guides was Sylvia Beardshaw, a familiar face to members, and the other was a former colleague who appeared in a splendid period costume. Afterwards everyone enjoyed tea and cake in the tea room.

A few days later we had a very interesting guided walk around the site of bell pits, a primitive method of mining, in the Pound Green area of Bewdley. Lunch followed at the Button Oak Inn.

The Society was founded 50 years ago and the first event held was a coach trip to Buildwas Abbey on 28th September 1963. On the exact anniversary we revisited the Abbey together with Wenlock Priory. A buffet lunch was provided at the Gaskell Arms, Much Wenlock.

Our meeting on 1st October will be a very short AGM (about 10 minutes) followed by Chris Upton talking on 'Yours Disgusted: Letters to Local Newspapers'. Visitors are most welcome at all our events – see [www.hhfs.org.uk](http://www.hhfs.org.uk) for details and contacts.

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Honorary Minister Rev David Tennant

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### October Sunday Services

10.30am      6.00pm

Sunday School at 10.15am

**6th**

**am** Rev David Tennant

**pm** Rev David Tennant\*

**13th**

**am** Rev Ian Ring

**pm** Rev Richard Newton

**20th**

**am** Rev George Graham\*

**pm** Rev George Graham

**27th**

**am** Mr Ian Carnell

**pm** **Blakedown 6.30pm**

*\*With Holy Communion*

*We give a warm welcome to all visitors, especially on those occasions when no other services are available in the village*

### CHURCH CONTACTS

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Contact for baptism and infant dedication

*The Honorary Minister*

*Initial Contact for marriages/funerals*

*Honorary Minister or Secretary*

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### **BIBLE STUDY and PRAYER GROUP**

Meets in the Coffee Lounge every  
Tuesday in October 7.30 – 9.00pm.

*Welcome to all*

### **LADIES' AFTERNOON FELLOWSHIP**

Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> October at 2.30pm  
*Harvest Praise and Gift Afternoon*

### **THURSDAY FELLOWSHIP at 8.00PM**

**WILL RECOMMENCE THIS MONTH**

*A welcome to new and returning  
members for the 2013/14 season*

### **OCTOBER PROGRAMME**

**3<sup>RD</sup> "From Clent to Tonga"**

**Speaker Peter Bloore**

**17<sup>th</sup> "Do You Remember When"**

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### Hagley Community Centre

## QUIZ NIGHT

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## Stour Valley Cat Rescue

### Table Top Sale

at The Hagley Community Centre,  
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**Saturday October 19th**

*Admission free*  
From 10:30am till noon

Lots of stalls including books,  
jewellery, bric a brac, toys,  
collectables.

Call Anita on 01384 375832

**Tea and coffee available**  
*To include various charity stalls  
We look forward to seeing you*

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## Stour Valley Cat Rescue

### Autumn Bazaar

at The Hagley Community Centre,  
Worcester Lane, Hagley on;

**Saturday October 26th**

*Admission 50p*  
*to include refreshments*

From 10:30am  
Lots of stalls including books,  
jewellery, bric a brac, toys,  
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# OCTOBER 2013 DIARY

## **TUESDAY 1st**

### **Playgroup**

Community Centre 9.00am – 12 noon

Mondays to Fridays (not Thursdays)

### **Tuesday Tea Club**

Free Church Hall 2.30p.m.

### **Historical & Field Society**

St. Saviour's Hall 8.00p.m.  
'Yours Disgusted'

## **THURSDAY 3rd**

### **Clent Hills Singers**

Free Church 7.30p.m.

## **FRIDAY 4th**

### **Country Markets**

Community Centre 8.45-11.00a.m.

### **Chess Club**

Free Church Hall 7.00p.m.

## **THURSDAY 10th**

### **Clent Hills Singers**

Free Church 7.30p.m.

## **FRIDAY 11th**

### **Country Markets**

Hagley Library  
9.30-11.30a.m.

### **Chess Club**

Free Church Hall 7.00p.m.

### **Art Club**

St. Saviour's Hall 7.30p.m.  
'Appraisal'

## **MONDAY 14th**

### **Parish Council**

74A Worcester Road 7.00p.m.

### **Stourbridge Speakers' Club**

Talbot Hotel, High Street,  
Stourbridge 8.00p.m.

## **TUESDAY 15th**

### **Tuesday Tea Club**

Free Church Hall 2.30p.m.

## **WEDNESDAY 16TH**

### **Evening W.I.**

Free Church Hall 7.30p.m.  
'Curiosities of Birmingham'

## **THURSDAY 17th**

### **Clent Hills Singers**

Free Church 7.30p.m.

## **FRIDAY 18th**

### **Country Markets**

Community Centre 8.45-11.00a.m.

### **Chess Club**

Free Church Hall 7.00p.m.

## **WEDNESDAY 23rd**

### **Evening W.I.**

Free Church Hall 7.30p.m.  
'Teddy Bears'

## **THURSDAY 24th**

### **Clent Hills Singers**

Free Church 7.30p.m.

## **FRIDAY 25th**

### **Country Markets**

Community Centre 8.45-11.00a.m.

### **Chess Club**

Free Church Hall 7.00p.m.

## **MONDAY 28th**

### **Parish Council**

74A Worcester Road 7.00p.m.

### **Stourbridge Speakers' Club**

Talbot Hotel, High Street,  
Stourbridge 8.00p.m.

## **TUESDAY 29th**

### **Tuesday Tea Club**

Free Church Hall 2.30p.m.

## **THURSDAY 31st**

### **Clent Hills Singers**

Free Church 7.30p.m.

Please let me  
have your new  
Programmes for  
entry into the  
monthly Diary –  
thank you

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